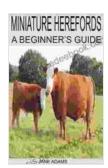
Miniature Herefords: A Beginner's Guide to the World's Cutest Cows

Miniature Herefords are a breed of miniature cattle that are known for their small size, gentle nature, and adorable appearance. They are a relatively new breed, having been developed in the United States in the 1970s. Miniature Herefords are a popular choice for hobby farmers and families who want to own cows without the need for a lot of land or experience.

History of Miniature Herefords

Miniature Herefords were developed by a rancher named Mike Helm in Missouri in the 1970s. Helm crossed a miniature bull with a Hereford cow, and the resulting calves were the first Miniature Herefords. Helm continued to breed and develop the Miniature Hereford breed, and it was eventually recognized by the American Miniature Hereford Association in 1981.



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Breed Characteristics

Miniature Herefords are the smallest breed of cattle in the world. They

typically weigh between 400 and 600 pounds, and they stand between 36

and 42 inches tall at the shoulder. Miniature Herefords have a short, stocky

build, with a broad chest and a well-muscled body. They have a distinctive

white face and a red or black body.

Miniature Herefords are known for their gentle and friendly nature. They are

easy to handle and make good pets. They are also very intelligent and can

learn to do tricks.

Care and Feeding

Miniature Herefords are relatively easy to care for. They can be kept on

pasture or in a barn, and they require a diet of hay, grain, and minerals.

Miniature Herefords are also very hardy and can tolerate a wide range of

climates.

If you are thinking about getting a Miniature Hereford, it is important to do

your research and find a reputable breeder. Miniature Herefords can be

expensive, so it is important to factor in the cost of purchasing the animal,

as well as the cost of feed, care, and veterinary care.

Miniature Herefords are a wonderful breed of miniature cattle that are

perfect for hobby farmers and families who want to own cows without the

need for a lot of land or experience. They are gentle, friendly, and intelligent

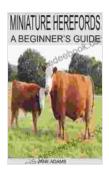
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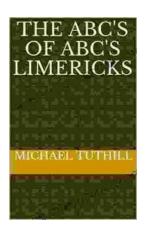
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